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MEMORANDUM FOR: Deputy for Materiel, OSA

SUBJECT : SP-1622 - Test of Ejection-Seat Canopy
Breaker Extension

1. Recommend Ejection-Seat Canopy Breaker Extensions not be adopted for use in view of Lockheed report.

2. Soft thicker seat cushions with installed walk-around sleeping bags also should not be utilized except when operational commitment in a severely cold environment is anticipated.

3. Tree-lowering devices are presently being flight tested at Detachment G as a part of the lumbar pad. Initial pilot comments are optimistic.

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